

Claim 25, line 1, delete "23 or 24,".

Claim 26, line 1, delete "any one of claims 21 to 25" and insert therefor --claim 21--.

Claim 27, line 1, delete "22 or".

Please add the following new claim 28.

a1 28. A banknote validator including a magnetic sensor according to claim 5, the magnetic sensor being arranged to sense a magnetic field produced by a banknote being validated.

REMARKS

This amendment is being made to place the claims in better form for examination and to eliminate multiple claim dependency.

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